New power projects sanctioned for Karnataka

389. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) how many new power projects have been sanctioned for Karnataka; and

(b) whether any power project is pending for approval, if so, the details thereof and by when these are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) The following proposals for setting up of power projects in the State of Karnataka have been given Techno Economic Clearance by the Central Electricity Authority:—

CEA Cleared/Appraised.

1. Toranagallu TPS	(2×120MW)
2. Mangalore TPS	(4×250 MW)
3. Nagarjuna TPP	(2×507.5 MW)
4. Kaniminke	(107.6 MW)
5. Raichur TPPU-7	(210 MW)

(b) The following proposals for setting up of power projects in the State of Karnataka are under examination in Central Electricity Authority:—

Sl. No.	Name of the Project/ Capacity (MW)	Remark
	DPR Under Examination in CEA	
1.	Nanjangud CCPP (96.7 MW)	Pending inputs are resolution of water availability by CWC from Inter State angle, finalisation of hard cost.
2.	Hassan CCPP (189 MW)	Considered by CEA for TEC on 28.5.1999. Will be reconsidered after hard cost is reduced by IPP by Rs. 51 crores. Pending inputs are resolution of water availability by CWC from inter State angle.
3.	Telgi TPP (350 MW)	Considered by SPAC on 16.3.1999. Not recommended for TEC as cost is not properly structured and equipment and service costs are not indicated in the reasonable proportion.
4.	Vijayanagar TPP (500 MW)	Received in July, 2001 and is under examination.